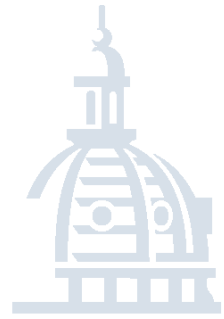




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NEW RECIPIENTS – RURAL IOWA PRIMARY CARE LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM

New Recipients. The College Student Aid Commission recently announced that 12 new health care professionals have been accepted in the Rural Iowa Primary Care Loan Repayment Program. A total of 20 individuals are currently participating in the program across two cohorts. The Program is designed to address critical shortages of primary care physicians in rural Iowa communities.

Awards. The awards for the new cohort total \$2.2 million and will be paid out over a five-year period. The average individual award for the cohort is \$182,000. The recipients must complete an Iowa-based residency and establish a full-time practice in a designated community. Designated communities are required to provide matching funding.

More Information. Additional information on the program is available in the LSA document, [Budget Unit: Rural Primary Care Loan Repayment Program](#).

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